

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT	APPLICATION OF:	)	
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DAVID F	KAR LING LO,	)	Group Art Unit 1762
JOACHIN	M SCHAEFER,	)	
NICOLA	SIMON and	)	Examiner B. Talbot
HAROLD	TOBER	)	
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SERIAL	NO. 09/872,311	)	
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FILED:	MAY 31, 2001	)	
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FOR:	METHODS FOR PREPARING	)	
	FLUID DIFFUSION LAYERS	)	
	AND ELECTRODES USING	)	
	COMPACTION ROLLERS	)	

## PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

## Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time to further respond to the Office Action dated January 9, 2003. An Amendment and Request for Reconsideration responding to the Office Action is submitted herewith.

110.00 @

A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the fee for extension of time within the first month (large entity) accompanies this Petition. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-0017.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: 1,2003

> ROBERT W. FIESPLER Name of applicant, assignee, or

Registered Representative Signature

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Date of Signature